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DATE	June	July	August
1	8,493	8,730	8,640
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Weather Indications.

CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—For Kansas: Rain or snow and colder tonight; Friday cold; winds becoming northwest.

If the Republicans get the house this time and the senate the next time they will start an Initiative and Referendum party of their own.

A REPUBLICAN at Emporia, who has more horses than he cares to winter and can neither sell nor give them away, bets them that Lowelling will be elected.

It is funny to hear that great big boy, Perry, United States attorney, call Senator John Martin weak minded. The senator may be an artful dodger in politics, but he is anything but weak minded.

Mrs. LEASE shed tears in behalf of the women, in her speech at Haddam some days ago, according to the Clipper. The paper states that she wept for at least ten minutes. That is not what a woman would call a "real, good cry."

McPHERSON Republican: Mr. Chester I. Long's private character was thoroughly investigated some years ago. It is of no use to rehearse these old scandals. He cleared himself without any trouble and showed a clean record from the time that he was a small boy.

THERE are a number of troublesome people in Topeka who want half a column of space to "refute" a ten line statement in the JOURNAL. If the statement only occupied ten lines, certainly the "refutation" shouldn't require any more. It demands the highest order of gumption to write communications for the newspapers of the proper length. Few people have it.

BLOOD is said to be thicker than water, but it does not seem to be in the Botkin family. The disagreeable spectacle is now presented of J. T. Botkin, a brother of Rev. J. D. Botkin, going about the Third district abusing his brother from the stump, calling him a "donkey" and other harsh names because he has gone over to the Populist party. There is a sense of decency in all men which arouses feelings of detestation against any man who will talk against his own relatives in public places. What kind of a creature can this J. T. Botkin be?

SENATOR PLUMB, shortly before his death, made the prediction that the time was not far distant when every acre of corn land in the United States would be worth \$100. While the wheat-growing area of the world is as wide as the globe the corn belt is clearly defined by certain conditions of soil and climate, which bring it within a fixed limit. And for the first time in history the price of corn has gone above that of wheat; perhaps this may be repeated until it becomes a permanent change in the relations of the two cereals to each other.

KANSAS PARAGRAPHS.

There is a colored band at Atchison called the Twilight band.

A charivari party at Herra was thrown clear off the track by a keg of beer.

Noble Rodgers of Clay Center died the other day of old age, being ninety-five years old.

Andy Shy was fined \$5 in the police court at Atchison, but he wasn't too diligent to demand his money back.

An eagle was shot at Grainsfield recently that measured seven feet two inches from tip to tip of the wings.

A man at Sabetha who was warming a gun in the fire to get a bullet out can now see through the palm of his hand.

They have quitted slippers on sale in Manhattan and there isn't a small toy in town that doesn't wish his mother had a pair.

Maj. F. S. Dodge, the new army paymaster at Ft. Leavenworth, has an English speaking Chinaman for body servant.

Leavenworth has a woman who has the proud distinction of having served more days in jail than any woman in Kansas.

A boy out at Clay Center who rested the muzzle of his gun on his toes can now wear a shoe two sizes smaller than he used to.

Some designing thieves have stolen the chickens belonging to an editor at Herington just at a time when he wanted his election roosters most.

They had a barbecue at Ness City with very little drunkenness and no fighting which was very disappointing to those who had predicted it would be a success.

Six births in the little town of Haven in one week in these times, is sufficient evidence if any were needed that people don't come into this world of their own accord.

"The girl spy of Chickamauga" will be played in Manhattan a few days before election, to get the people keyed up to the proper pitch of excitement.

Bryant day will be celebrated in the public schools at Sabetha Friday but the man who quoted "Inanimitas" as "the words of Tennyson" will not be asked to take part.

At Holton a watch was pawned for whisky, then stolen by the man who pawned it. The joint keeper had him arrested for stealing, and as in turn had the joint keeper arrested on a state charge for selling whisky. The city then arrested the whisky man for violating the city ordinance.

ANOTHER Populist dream has faded away into nothingness. They had hopes of Governor Algeid of Illinois. In view of his actions and utterances during the great strike and his record regarding the Chicago anarchists, they apparently had good reason to think he was coming their way. But all that is past now. He made a speech the other day in which he declared that the only hope for the country rests with the Democratic party. He took occasion to inform his hearers that when he said the Democratic party he did not mean Grover Cleveland or Attorney General Olney. He insinuates that they are not Democrats and to prove it asserts that their every act has met with the unqualified approval of the Republicans of the country and the condemnation of a large majority of the Democrats. He very wisely says that no party can always be judged by what some man who is accidentally lifted into power or prominence may say or do. He said the world did not reject the teachings of the other eleven because of Judas.

MARY E. LEASE is credited with saying that the enfranchisement of the colored man was a mistake. She is reported to have said that at the close of the war, the Republican party freed the slaves and gave them full citizenship. That was a mistake, but what they thought was right at the time. Mrs. Lease expressed fears of the result of woman suffrage in the south. She said: "God pity you when you get into the south and make the same mistake the Republicans made, only worse; as they (the colored people) have increased like cats down there."

TYPICAL TOPEKA.

The American Book Company's New Work on Social Science.

The American Book company of Chicago and New York, has published an interesting work called "An Introduction to the Study of Society." The authors are Albion W. Small, professor of sociology in the university of Chicago and George E. Vincent, vice chancellor of the Chautauque system of education. The book is broad in scope and covers much of value in the study of social science. It is noteworthy that in treating of life on the frontier, in the village, the town and the city, four colored plates appear showing Topeka when the only house on its site was a farm house; then a collection of eight or ten farms, called the rural group; then the village and later the city, showing the original townsite and the numerous additions grouped about it. The word Topeka does not seem to appear in the book, but the identity of the plates is unquestioned.

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THE FASHION PLATE.

English corduroy and bedford cords are still very popular fabrics.

There is a great display of flowered and satin striped moires designed for elegant winter gowns.

The closely woven but medium weight wools are the very best fabrics for utility gowns for the autumn and winter.

Many ermine trimmed capes of velvet or fine Venetian cloth lined with satin brocade are exhibited by leading city importers.

Jet garnitures are used in profusion both in dress and millinery. They are conspicuous this season on all sorts of wraps and gowns.

It is still observed that at full dress entertainments the low slippers or French sandals more frequently match the gloves in color than the gown.

Braiding in intricate designs is used upon matty coats for youthful wearers, made of Russian green, marine blue, auburn brown and pale tan colors severally.

Aided by the numberless models in capes and jackets, the transition from autumn to winter will be stylishly and attractively effected by the new repertoire redingotes.

Besides being used for entire gowns or parts of the costume, the new perforated cloths are employed for trimming the bodice and bordering the skirt hem or overskirt.

The tops of the new shot and ribbed velvets are softer and richer looking than ever, but the chief distinguishing feature is found in the exquisite mixture of color effected in the weaving.

Beef eater crowns are again fashionable with either flat or rolled brims, and like the long popular English walking hats are trimmed with a simplicity which should characterize all hats intended for utility purposes.—New York Post.

FAMOUS EXILES.

The Earl of Clarendon wrote his famous historical works while in exile.

All the princes of the Bourbon family have for a long time lived in exile from France.

Buchanan, the Scottish poet, while in exile and prison wrote the famous "Paraphrases of the Psalms."

It is said that at this time there are 22 ex-sovereigns residing in different parts of Europe, none of them in the countries they once ruled.

A great many of the popes have been forced into exile, generally by enemies among the turbulent Roman populace. A few were expelled, but most of them died in exile.

The Emperor Charles V lived in voluntary exile during the last years of his life. His chief occupation in his retirement was devising new vintages to tempt his gluttonous appetite.

Ex-Empress Eugenie lives in England as the guest of Queen Victoria, who is her warm personal friend. She often goes to the continent and is said on one or two occasions to have visited Paris incognito.

After the downfall of Napoleon, his mother, Mme. Bonaparte, went to Blois and thence to Rome. She returned to France during the hundred days, and after Waterloo went back to Rome, where she died in 1836.

Isabella II of Spain was exiled by her long suffering people in 1870. She has since lived in Paris, and while in by no means good repute with respectable people before she has been much less careful of her conduct since her enforced retirement from the throne.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

ODDS AND ENDS.

The best evidence goes to show that the pyramids of Egypt were royal sepulchers.

The officials of Korea wear upon their hats the figures of various birds and animals.

Among the Turks the bodies of the dead are held in extreme reverence, though the cemeteries are used as picnic grounds.

There are, says a New York newspaper, about 10 Afro-American lawyers in New York, 13 in Boston and more than 25 in Chicago.

The English sovereign's sons and grandsons, when created peers, are entitled to seats in the house of lords at the left of the throne.

One of the conditions of membership of a New York club is that each member must give at least one hour a week to doing some good action.

It is estimated that there are fully 66,000 negroes in the young territory of Oklahoma. Most of them are in Blaine and Logan counties.

Evaporation is two or three times greater in the sunshine than in the shade and five or six times as great in summer as in winter, is greater during a breeze than in a calm and is greater from fields of melting snow than from an equal surface of the ocean.

RAILROAD JOTTINGS.

Berlin is to have an elevated railroad like New York, with the difference that electricity is to be used as the motive power.

The Lake Shore Electric Railway company has been incorporated, with a capital of \$10,000,000. The new line will run from Chicago to Milwaukee.

The Monterey and Mexican Gulf Railroad company has arranged with the Mexican government to extend the road from Trevino to Sierra Mojada, and thence to Mazatlan, on the Pacific coast.

All the employees of the Lahit Traction company at Hazleton, Pa., are insured by the company. This is done in order to protect the men in case of any injury, or perhaps death, that they might sustain in an accident.

She Deserved Shaking.

She looked so pretty as she stepped aboard the car that the man with a cold in his head moved into the draft to give her plenty of room, and the conductor rang up two fares before he realized that she had given him a Canadian dime. The long-legged little girl with her kept up an incessant stream of questions, but she answered them all pleasantly. The next time the car stopped a soldierly looking lady got in, and the pretty girl blushed very much as she greeted her.

"Is this your little sister?" the soldierly lady asked presently. "Do you know who I am, my dear? I am Harold's mother. I hope you like Harold."

"Oh, yes! He brings nice candy than any of them. Only Mabel always makes me go out of the parlor to eat it."

The pretty girl, with an agonized blush, mumbled something about "crumbs" and "the carpet."

"Quite right, my dear," replied the soldierly looking lady, "and it is foolish of Harold to waste his money on candy. He will need it all by and by."

The pretty girl became two shades pinker and looked out of the window.

"Well, my dear," returning to the small girl, "I hope you will like me as well as Harold, but why do you look at me so closely? Is anything wrong with my bonnet?"

"No'm," with an angelic smile. "I like you very much, and I don't think your nose is long at all."

"Grace!" cried the pretty girl. "My nose long! Mercy, child, who ever said it was!"

"Why, sister did. She said that when she and Harold were married you had better keep that long nose of yours out of her affairs, or she would—why, Mabel, what on earth are you stopping the car for? This isn't our street."

And as the passengers in the car looked back they were pleased to see that Mabel was shaking her with all her might.—Chicago Tribune.

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4 lbs White Lard	.25
White Label Lard, per lb	.19
Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon, per lb	.11
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Dry Salt Side Bacon, per lb	.08
California Ham, per lb	.08
7 lbs New Hand Picked Navy Beans	.23
All kinds Package Coffee	.22
25 lbs Pure Java Coffee	1.00
2 lbs Evaporated Raspberries	.10
3 lbs Evaporated Blackberries	.10
2 lbs Evaporated Apples	.10
5 lbs Large Raisins	.25
3 lbs Dried Apricots	.25
10 lbs Dried Apples	.25
2 lbs Fancy California Peas	.25
Good Tins, per lb	.25
5 lbs Japan Tea	.25

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8 lbs cans California Apples	.11
8 lbs cans California Grapes	.10
8 lbs cans California Peaches	.10
2 cans California Peas	.25
3 cans of Goose or Raspberries	.25
3 cans Strawberries or Peas	.25
4 cans String Beans	.25
2 cans Solid Pack Tomatoes	.15
2 cans Sweet Corn	.15
2 cans Peas	.15
4 cans Oysters	.25
6 cans Oil Sardines	.25
2 cans Mustard Sardines	.25

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6 lbs Green Peas	.25
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